

Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department

Food Handler Permit Class Schedule

July – September 2015

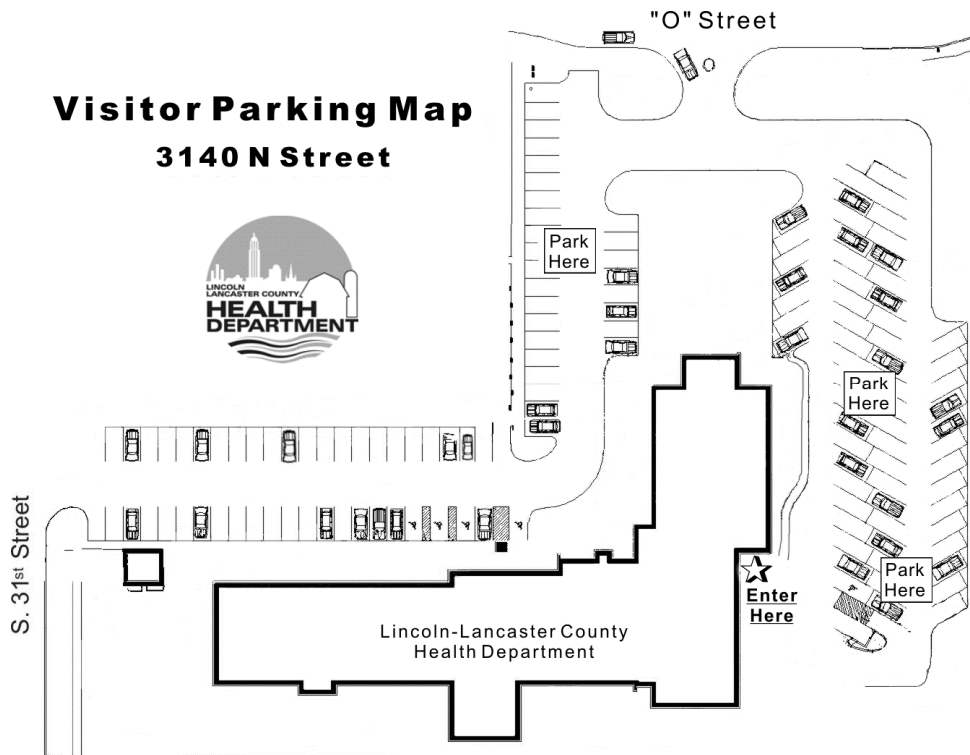
All classes are held in the lower level training center at 3140 N Street

Park on east side of building and use the door facing Woods Park

No Pre-Registration—Register at the door

Accepting Cash, Credit Cards, and Debit Cards

No Checks



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Arrive 10-15 minutes **before** class starts to register

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Clase en Español: Permiso de Salubridad “Prep/Cook” (PC), válido por dos años.

Costo: \$20

Aceptamos efectivo, tarjetas de crédito y débito. No aceptamos cheques.

Por favor llegar 10 -15 minutos antes de empezar la clase para poder registrarse.

Todas las clases se llevarán a cabo en el “Centro de Entrenamiento” localizado en el nivel inferior del edificio del Departamento de Salud (3140 N St). Use la puerta que está al “Este” del edificio (puerta frente al parque Woods). Fíjese en la señal colocada en la puerta para obtener más información.

Spanish classes are usually held on the second Monday afternoon each month in the Training Center located in the lower level of the Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department building (3140 N Street). Use the east door (near Woods Park)

	<i>Day (día)</i>	<i>Date (fecha)</i>	<i>Time (hora)</i>
Julio	Lunes	Julio 20 (Note: 3rd Monday)	1:30-4:00 p.m.
Agosto	Lunes	Agosto 10	1:30-4:00 p.m.
Septiembre	Lunes	Septiembre 14	1:30-4:00 p.m.

English Serve/Clean (SC) permit good for 2 years, costs \$20

Serve/Clean (SC) Food Handlers would include staff of establishments that do not prepare/serve potentially hazardous foods. This permit is for bakers, bussing staff, dishwashers, wait staff and convenience store workers who do not prepare or cook potentially hazardous foods, bartenders, hosting staff, and baristas.

Classes are no longer scheduled for the Serve/Clean permit. This training is available online. Alternatively, food handlers can attend a Prep/Cook (PC) class which includes the instruction required for an SC permit and costs the same. If the PC option does not meet the food handler’s needs, call (402) 441-6222 to make arrangements for one-on-one training.

English Restricted/Shift Manager (RS) permit good for 2 years, costs \$20

Tests are only available in English.

Shift managers are in charge of an establishment that serves potentially hazardous food and may be the person-in-charge when the Food Protection Manager is not present; a regularly scheduled restaurant shift manager would be an example.

Restricted managers work in establishments that *do not* prepare and serve potentially hazardous food; examples would be bar managers, coffee shop managers, and bakery managers.

The holder of an RS permit can perform all the duties of a Prep/Cook *and* a Serve/Clean permit holder.

	<i>Day</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>
July	Thursday	July 9	1:30-4:00 p.m.
August	Thursday	August 13	1:30-4:00 p.m.
September	Thursday	September 17	1:30-4:00 p.m.

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English Prep/Cook (PC) permit good for 2 years, costs \$20

Prep/Cook (PC) Food Handlers would work in establishments that prepare and serve potentially hazardous foods. This permit is for chefs, cooks, salad prep staff, buffet line staff, deli staff, wait staff who help with cooking or stocking buffet lines or related tasks, all employees of fast food establishments, and convenience store clerks who prepare foods such as hot dogs.

The holder of a Prep/Cook permit can perform the duties of a Serve/Clean permit holder.

	<i>Day</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>
July	Wednesday	July 1	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	July 8	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	July 15	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	July 22	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	July 29	6:00-8:00 p.m.
August	Wednesday	August 5	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	August 12	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	August 19	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	August 26	6:00-8:00 p.m.
September	Wednesday	September 2	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	September 9	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	September 16	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	September 23	6:00-8:00 p.m.
	Wednesday	September 30	6:00-8:00 p.m.

Other Options/Special Services

Food handlers who cannot read or speak English or food handlers with visual or hearing disabilities can arrange to have an interpreter come with them. *LLCHD can provide translation or interpretation services but food handlers must make the request at least **one week** before class.*

People with special needs (learning or developmental limitations) may call the Food Handler Education Coordinator at (402) 441-6222 to schedule one-on-one training.

Online Food Handler and Responsible Beverage Server/Seller Training and Permits

Employees can access the online training for both food handler and beverage server/seller permits from the Food Safety web site. Go to the InterLinc home page (<http://www.lincoln.ne.gov>) and type the word “food” or “alcohol” in the search box. Click on “Search.” On the Food Safety web page, click on the “FBST” button. Read the instructions for getting started. Upon completion of the training, you will be issued a permit you can print any time as long as it has not expired.

For a Serve/Clean (SC) permit, complete Unit 1 in the online food handler training. For a Prep/Cook (PC) permit, complete Units 1 *and* 2. For a Restricted/Shift (RS) Manager permit, complete all three units. The Lincoln-Lancaster County Health Department (LLCHD) urges food handlers to complete a higher permit than you need; the cost is the same and all permits are valid for two (2) years. Renew your permit one month **before** the current permit expires.

All employees who serve or sell alcoholic beverage in Lincoln must obtain a Responsible Beverage Server Training (RBST) certificate. Select the RBST training. You must complete both the RBST general training and the City of Lincoln Server/Seller (LNK) permit. Read the instructions for getting started. The LNK permit costs \$15 and is valid for three (3) years.

Food Protection Manager (FPM) Permit: 3 years—\$30

The Lincoln Food Code requires that at least one person in charge of a Lincoln food establishment that prepares and serves potentially hazardous foods have a Food Protection Manager Permit issued by the LLCHD.

First, obtain certifications from an accredited ANSI/CFP exam (e.g., ServSafe, Prometric, National Registry, or 360Training). Some training is available online. Verify that there is a local proctored test site before paying for or taking the online training. There may be separate costs of the courses and the exams.

Food Protection Manager certification courses and exams are offered at:

Southeast Community College (402-437-2467). **ONLINE** Food Protection Manager Class. **\$60.** Register online at www.southeast.edu. On the Continuing Education page, scroll to “register now.” Enter key word PROTECTION then complete information and payment info. Textbook available at sccbookstore.com or in the bookstore at 8800 O Street.

University of Nebraska-Lincoln. The University of Nebraska-Lincoln offers the ServSafe™ classes each month at daVinci’s at 11th and G Street. Registration website: <http://cehs15.unl.edu/ccp/food/>. All classes begin at 8:30 AM with the test given at 4:30 PM. Class Fee is \$145 and includes the textbook and lunch. Class Fee if participant has the 6th Edition of the book is \$80 (lunch included). Fee for test only is \$80.

Second, bring the certification to the LLCHD office, complete an application, and pay the \$30 fee.

FPM Renewal Classes

Food Protection Manager (FPM) permits must be renewed prior to the expiration date by attending a Food Protection Manager Permit Renewal Class. This class will add three (3) years to the end of your permit’s current expiration date. Registration information is sent to FPMs whose permit is within one year of expiring.

Classes are scheduled on Thursdays of odd numbered months. They alternate between mornings and afternoons.

Upcoming dates are:

Thursday, July 30, 2015. Registration is from 12:30-1:00 pm; class is from 1:00-4:30 pm.

Thursday, September 24, 2015. Registration is from 7:30-8:00 am; class is from 8:00-11:30 am.

Thursday, November 19, 2015. Registration is from 12:30-1:00 pm; class is from 1:00-4:30 pm.

Failure to renew an FPM permit prior to expiration will require the manager to retake the certification training and bring the new certificate to the LLCHD for a new permit.

Call (402) 441-6280 to report a change of address.